

# Division of Remediation - Purpose & Responsibility

DoR identifies and investigates sites contaminated with hazardous substances, petroleum, or radioactive materials; then **uses practical and effective remedies** to stabilize, remediate, contain, monitor, maintain, and close these sites. These efforts **minimize chemical and radiological threats to public health, safety, and the environment.**

Responsibilities include:

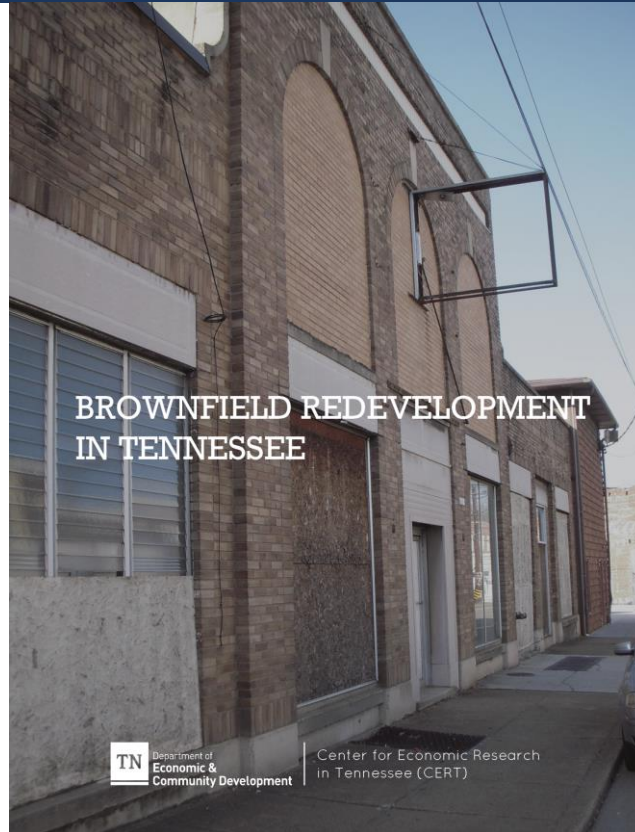
- Inactive Haz Substance sites
- Petroleum spills not regulated by UST
- Releases associated with an AST
- DCERP sites
- US EPA NPL sites
- Brownfield & Voluntary sites
- US DOD sites
- US DOE sites including Oak Ridge Reservation
- US EPA Brownfield Grant assistance
- Cleanup rules/guidance for Meth, training, certifying hygienists and contractors



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# TN ECD Brownfield Whitepaper, Oct. 2017

During Governor Haslam's administration, there have been **104 TNECD projects** that have located on **brownfield redevelopment sites**. These projects have committed to **18,500 new jobs and \$4.3 billion in capital investment** in Tennessee.

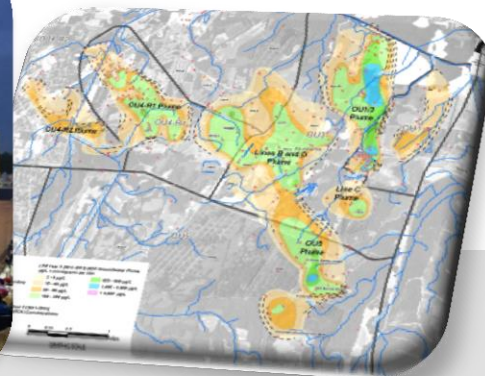
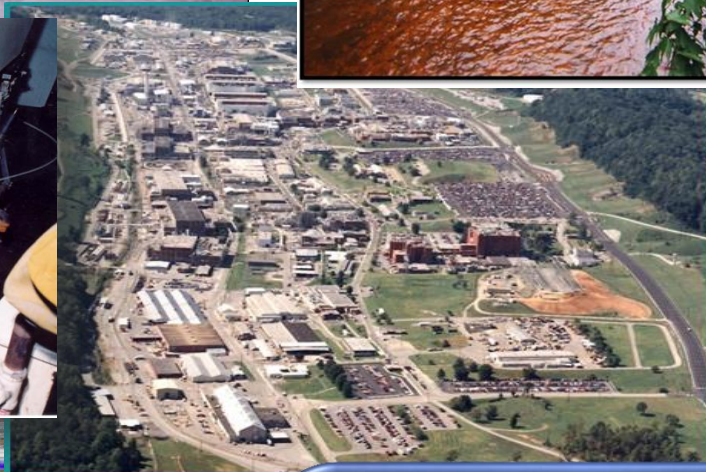
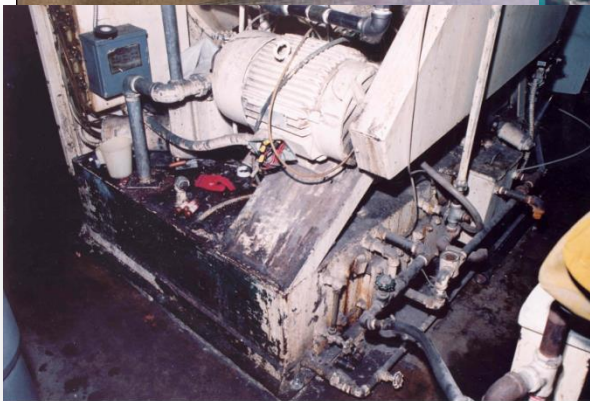


Division staff worked with ECD on the designation of **Opportunity Zones** for the Governor.

- The Brownfield/Voluntary Program plays an integral role in the redevelopment of properties that have fallen out of use.
- Brownfields are being transformed into community assets across Tennessee.
- In TN, brownfield redevelopment is, at its heart, economic and community development with improved environmental outcomes.



# Division of Remediation – Booth 210



# Division of Remediation - Initiatives

- **Funding Stability**
  - HWRAF
  - DCERP
  - ORR Grants
- **Oak Ridge Reservation – Remediation and Restoration**
  - EMDF (On-Site Landfill)
  - OF200 (Mercury Treatment Plant)
  - Offsite Ground Water
- **SSC Commitments on EPA Fund Lead Sites**
- **Meth Rule Amendments**
- **Succession Planning – Knowledge Transfer**
- **Senior Leadership Changes**
  - Chris Thompson
  - Colby Morgan